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**From:** Rutherford, Marty K (DNR) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MKRUTHERFORD]  
**Sent:** Friday, December 28, 2007 6:08 PM  
**To:** 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'Mike\_Tibbles@gov.state.ak.us'; Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)  
**Cc:** Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Thompson; Nan G (DNR); Banks; Kevin R (DNR); Tillery; Craig J (LAW)  
**Subject:** Cook Inlet LNG Press Conference update

Governor, All,

I just finished speaking with Scott Jepson, CP, who provided the names of the Marathon Oil and ConocoPhillips representatives that will be attending your Cook Inlet LNG Agreement press conference at noon on Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>. They are:

Marathon Oil

Mr. Steve Hinchman, Senior Vice-President Worldwide Production (Houston)  
Mr. Pat Kuntz, Vice-President Natural Gas & Crude Oil Sales (Houston)  
Mr. David (Dave) Risser, Natural Gas Marketing Manager (Houston) \*  
Mr. Doug Thierwechter, Governmental Affairs Manager (Houston)  
Ms. Lee Warren, External Communications Manager (Houston)  
Mr. Mitch Little, Production Manager/Alaska Asset Team (Anchorage) \*

ConocoPhillips

Mr. Jim Bowles, President, ConocoPhillips, Alaska (Anchorage)  
Mr. Jim Taylor, Vice President of Commercial Assets (Prudhoe, TAPS & Cook Inlet) (Anchorage)  
Mr. Scott Jepson, Manager, Cook Inlet Business Unit (Anchorage) \*  
Mr. Roger Belman, Legal Counsel (Anchorage) \*  
Mr. Michael Hurley, Governmental Affairs Manager (Anchorage)  
Ms. Natalie Knox, Community Affairs (Anchorage)

\* = Part of Negotiating Team for the Cook Inlet LNG Agreement

We are working on talking points, questions & answers, and a one-page overview of the Agreement. We hope to have these materials to you, Mike, Joe and Beth, by Monday. I have also invited the state negotiating team to attend the press conference and that includes the following individuals: Nan Thompson (Unit Mgr, Division of Oil & Gas), Kevin Banks (Director, Division of Oil & Gas), Craig Tillery (Deputy Attorney General, Civil Division, Dept of Law), and myself.

Finally, I believe that Eugene (Gene) Dubay, Senior Vice President of Operations/Semco Energy (parent company of Enstar) is also planning to attend the press conference and would be willing to say some words of support. I will speak with him before Monday regarding what he might like to add.

Beth, Is there anything further we need to do to help you and the Governor prepare for the Press Conference?

Thanks, everyone, for your support,  
Marty

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I am positive there will be a real energy plan. As always we are ready to help. Tom

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To: ExternalEmailgsp  
Cc: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Irwin, Tom E (DNR);  
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Subject: Re: Schedule - Thursday., Jan. 3, 2008

That mtg sounds fine.

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To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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Thank you, Janice

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Sent: Saturday, December 29, 2007 9:54 AM  
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'  
Subject: Fw: Metcalfe delivers belated X-mas present again..

Don't know how much basis this has but its interesting.

Sure hope APOC commissioners choose a strong Executive Dir when Brooke leaves!

----- Original Message -----

From: Stephen Taufen <staufen@seanet.com>  
To: Undisclosed-Recipient:; <Undisclosed-Recipient:;>  
Sent: Sat Dec 29 09:40:34 2007  
Subject: Metcalfe delivers belated X-mas present again...

Metcalfe: McGuire lobbied and bribed

'UGLY ALLEGATIONS': The new complaint to the APOC is ridiculous, her lawyer says.

By SEAN COCKERHAM

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Anchorage Daily News: December 29th, 2007 04:52 AM

U.S. Senate candidate Ray Metcalfe filed a complaint Friday with the Alaska Public Offices Commission that claims state Sen. Lesil McGuire's work as a consultant for Providence Health System amounted to "lobbying and bribery."

It's the latest in a series of accusations that Metcalfe has leveled against McGuire, an Anchorage Republican.

Her lawyer, Charles Dunnagan, said that the claim is ridiculous and Metcalfe's previous accusations have been dismissed.

"It is easy to bandy about these ugly, ugly allegations," Dunnagan said.

McGuire described her 2003 work for Providence on state financial disclosure forms as "consulting and research." Metcalfe, who lost to McGuire in a 2000 race for the state House of Representatives, alleges in his written complaint that it was something more.

"I believe APOC should require her to amend her description of her work to read 'lobbying and bribery,'" charged Metcalfe, who is running for the U.S. Senate as a Democrat. He said McGuire was paid to advise Providence on how to get money from the state.

The complaint also asks the Alaska Public Offices Commission to refer the matter to the criminal division of the state Department of Law and the legislative ethics committee.

Metcalfe's original complaint to the public offices commission, filed in March, alleged McGuire kept changing her description of what she did for the money. The commission, after hearing from Metcalfe at a meeting in September, expanded the investigation to also cover whether McGuire had done actual work for the \$10,500 she received from Providence.

The commissioners unanimously decided earlier this month that there was no evidence to support the allegations. So they dismissed Metcalfe's complaint.

But documents released as part of that APOC investigation showed that McGuire's consulting job included working with Providence's lobbyist, former Rep. Eldon Mulder, on how the hospital could get money from the state as part of a land deal involving the old Alaska Psychiatric Institute.

One of the commission members, Elizabeth Hickerson, said she thought it was a conflict of interest for McGuire to have been involved in lobbying strategy. At a meeting on Sept. 14, Hickerson wanted to send the issue to the legislative ethics committee to decide if there was a violation.

But the commission members voted 3 to 2 to instead postpone the subject until their February meeting. APOC's staff and lawyer are to look into it in the meantime.

Assistant attorney general Jan DeYoung has told the commission she does not think what McGuire did counts as lobbying under the law. That's because there's no evidence McGuire had communication with lawmakers on behalf of Providence, DeYoung told APOC.

Metcalfe argues in his new complaint that is too narrow a definition of lobbying. He also argues that it is bribery for a state legislator to get paid to advise a company on legislative strategy.

McGuire provided a sworn statement to APOC that her work for Providence did not involve

legislation or health care issues before the Legislature. She also said in the statement that she "never crafted or sponsored a budget item, that, to my knowledge, benefited Providence."

Her lawyer, Dunnagan, said APOC has not found any wrongdoing by McGuire, while it keeps finding Metcalfe's claims against her to be unsubstantiated. Dunnagan said APOC proceedings should not degenerate into a forum to say nasty things about public officials with no evidence.

He also said Metcalfe shouldn't make baseless allegations against Providence.

"No matter how he feels about McGuire, who beat him in an election, this is one of the largest employers in the state, the Sisters of Providence," Dunnagan said. "This has some serious implications."

Metcalfe filed his complaint late on Friday afternoon. A Providence spokeswoman did not have an immediate comment on it. McGuire did not return a message on her cell phone Friday night regarding the latest complaint.

Metcalfe, who founded the Republican Moderate Party, has a history of pressing APOC complaints. He was among the first to publicly cry foul over former state Senate President Ben Stevens' consulting contracts. Stevens is now under federal investigation but has not been charged and denies wrongdoing.

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Sent: Sunday, December 30, 2007 9:43 PM  
To: Sarah Palin  
Subject: RE: BP Press release  
Nothing attached, no text in email???

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Sent: Sunday, December 30, 2007 7:56 PM  
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'  
Subject: Re: Commercial

Ha! I just laughed out loud. Funny kid. She's tougher on you than the vogue crew. Get pip up there to cut the next commercial.

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To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>  
Sent: Sun Dec 30 19:51:30 2007  
Subject: Re: Commercial

Piper and I just finally saw it - piper said I looked like I had a mullet!

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To: Governor Sarah Palin  
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Subject: Birchwood CC

Very warm and friendly gathering this morning. Pastor Brad talked about their school and how they bring in kids from the Bush, put them up with a church family, and then they go to the Birchwood Christian School. Sounds like they have about ten villages represented. We can talk about some of their challenges later, but here's another group with a heart for the villages. Good to see

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Subject: Re: Interview

I haven't read it yet, but I will soon. I'm happy to hear he continues to convey the right msg-all the good things going on in ak. his last article about you was in newsweek this morning.

Just getting back to jnu. It's cold here, too! Have fun in petersville!

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Nice article about Leo! Man, that Steve Quinn sure is able to capture a ton of information and present it so well for the public's understanding. It seems he does have a great sense of where we're going, relays that, but sticks with the facts in doing so! How refreshing...

Hope you're feeling well and rested.

We're snowmachining in Petersville tomorrow for Track's last ride before he returns to Georgia, so can't make Benson's shin dig... I apologize for that bc I know you guys are going to have a blast!

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Subject: Galvin article

Great message by Galvin in today's adn. Alaskans need that assurance that the doom/gloom rhetoric spewed by some can be tempered with our reasonable assessment of the environment: that AK is extremely attractive (bc of the points Pat makes in today's article)... It goes along with the Lt. Governor's point made about hope and opportunity this administration wants to, and can, provide Alaskans.

Good timing with the interview, as recently it's seemed a positive message has been silenced, compared to industry spokespersons' negative talk.

Thanks, all! And this will be an outrageously good week with good announcements for Alaskans!

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**From:** Tibbles, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MATIBBLES]

**Sent:** Monday, December 31, 2007 6:03 PM

**To:** gov.sarah@yahoo.com

**Subject:** FW: State of the State

I am resending this. The last one bounced back with an error.

Mike

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**From:** Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

**Sent:** Mon 12/31/2007 4:05 PM

**To:** Sarah Palin

**Subject:** State of the State

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Happy New Year!

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Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 10:18 AM  
To: PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored)  
Subject: Fw: Adn

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2007 18:24:42

To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "K Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Larry Persily" <lpersily@alaskadc.org>

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Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 9:48 AM  
To: Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV)  
Subject: Fw: Adn

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Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 9:25 AM  
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)  
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Perslly; Larry A (GOV)  
Subject: Adn

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 9:18 AM  
To: tasmith@gci.net  
Subject: RE: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us].  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 12:16 AM  
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Tammy Smith  
address: 4201 York Ave Fairbanks AK 99709

MESSAGE:

To Honorable Governor Palin,

Today I read the sad accounting of Benazir Bhutto's last moments. The loss of this great woman as a leader in an area of the world where women are rarely given any of the rights we take for granted in our country is immeasurable. What a sorrowful day for the people of Pakistan and for all of human and civil rights.

As I was reading this in my favorite coffee shop, I looked up and saw a bumper sticker hanging near the door. It said "Alaska: The coolest spot, the hottest governor." I realize you have absolutely no control over what is printed about you, but you do have control over magazine pieces featuring style and various other current fashionable trends.

I am a mother of two daughters who attend the University of Fairbanks. We discussed the bumper sticker and the magazine issue. While both girls agreed it is part of being the first female governor and being much more attractive than previous governors, they also agreed that your actions beyond the regular duties of governor should always answer the question of how will this increase the positive role of women as intelligent, thoughtful leaders.

Thank you for letting me share my concerns with you.

Tammy Smith

tasmith@gci.net



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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 9:11 AM  
To: akbucket@alaska.com  
Subject: RE: Fish\_and\_Game

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Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 6:57 AM  
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
Subject: Fish\_and\_Game

Web mail from: Mr. Thomas Wood  
address: PO Box 14 Eagle River AK 99577  
907.227.8844

MESSAGE:

What has been done to eradicate the wolves attacking dogs in the Eagle River area?

akbucket@alaska.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 8:46 AM  
To: cncco@gci.net  
Subject: RE: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]  
Sent: Friday, December 28, 2007 8:19 PM  
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Joe & Ina Ressel  
address: 4043 North Point Dr Anchorage AK 99502  
907 243 1704

### MESSAGE:

The Ressel Family wants to wish you a very Happy New Year with lots of health for your family and of course more success as Governor.

You have done a super great job this year, and we are looking forward to you doing the same next year.

Sincerely,

Joe, Ina, Erik and Monika

cncco@gci.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 8:45 AM  
To: colinandkathy@att.net  
Subject: RE: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]  
Sent: Saturday, December 29, 2007 6:35 AM  
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Colin Matthews  
address: 12790 FM 775 Floresville TX 78114  
830-393-7976

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin, I worked for the State of Alaska for 18 years, 17 of those handling only Medical Board cases, I retired in late 05 and then moved to Texas. I spoke with you prior to your run for Gov, and thought then that you were the person to do the job. I just read an article in the San Antonio Express News about the progress in Alaska that you have made--makes me wish I had stayed with the state a little longer. It is great to see that the old guard has fallen alongside the road and that you have taken steps to make government work for the whole state not just a chosen few as has been the case too often in the past.

I congratulate you on the job you are doing and wish you a bright political future.

Colin Matthews.

colinandkathy@att.net

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 8:27 AM  
To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)  
Subject: Re: BP Press release

Look forward to the de-brief.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2007 08:17:46

To: "Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)" <patrick.galvin@alaska.gov>, "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: BP Press release

Pat, I'd like to hear the details.

Marty

----- Original Message -----

From: Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)

To: Irwin, Tom E (DNR); ExternalEmailgsp; Rutherford, Marty K (DNR)

Sent: Sun Dec 30 23:26:08 2007

Subject: RE: BP Press release

I'm tempted to add: "See, we told you BP would invest more in Alaska this year."

On second thought, maybe not...

Seriously, the negotiations were enlightening with regard to BP's current state of mind. At some point, I'd like to de-brief with you three.

-Pat

-----Original Message-----

From: Irwin, Tom E (DNR)  
Sent: Sunday, December 30, 2007 7:20 PM  
To: ExternalEmailgsp; Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)  
Subject: Re: BP Press release

Thanks for letting us see this ahead of time. I don't know the background of all the numbers but the press release sends two messages: 1) this Administration is looking out for Alaskans and 2) we are willing to work with the companies. Both great messages leading into this week. Tom

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>  
To: Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)  
Sent: Sun Dec 30 16:05:11 2007  
Subject: Fw: BP Press release

Did u guys get a look?

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 30 Dec 2007 15:59:51

To: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Johnson, Anne L (LAW)" <anne.johnson1@alaska.gov>, "Tillery, Craig J (LAW)" <craig.tillery@alaska.gov>

Subject: BP Press release

Here is the final draft of the BP press release. Please let me know if any other changes

are necessary.

Thanks.

Sharon Leighow  
Deputy Press Secretary  
Deputy Communications Director

465-4031 Juneau  
269-7450 Anchorage  
240-7943 cell

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Subject: Re: BP

Great job!!!

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From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 31 Dec 2007 07:47:45

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: BP

Dear Governor Palin,

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From: Johnson, Anne L (LAW)

Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 7:32 AM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Kobayashi, Tina (LAW); Wilson, Robynn J (DOR); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR)

Subject: BP

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]  
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 8:10 AM  
To: maninap@comcast.net  
Subject: RE: Military\_and\_Veterans\_Affairs

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Sent: Saturday, December 29, 2007 7:06 PM  
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)  
Subject: Military\_and\_Veterans\_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. Peter Manina  
address: 113 Old Mill Pond #4 Grand Ledge MI 48837  
517-599-6200

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

Please refer to the following Army Times Article.

[http://www.armytimes.com/news/2007/12/ap\\_wainwright\\_licenses\\_071228/](http://www.armytimes.com/news/2007/12/ap_wainwright_licenses_071228/)

I agree the Armed Forces personnel were in the wrong to falsify hunting license information. However, I think this reflects poorly on the State of Alaska. Members of the Armed Forces rarely have any choice in their duty assignments and are moved often. Many are thrust from their normal cultural environment, and then placed at even greater personal risk. No Private/Airman/Seaman every got rich off his/her salary. So, I find it disconcerting anyone would make it harder to obtain what little enjoyment they might have. I hope the Citizens of Alaska might consider doing something similar to Michigan, and provide a discount to any active duty member of our Armed Forces.

[http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,1607,7-153-10363\\_14518-65034--,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,1607,7-153-10363_14518-65034--,00.html)

Sincerely,

Peter D. Manina

maninap@comcast.net

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Cc: 'Mike\_Tibbles@gov.state.ak.us'; Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Irwin; Tom E (DNR)  
Subject: Cook Inlet LNG Settlement information (in draft form)

Governor, All,  
Attached are "draft" documents that will be useful for the Cook Inlet LNG Settlement' press conference scheduled for Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 12 noon. Attached are:

- 1) Governor's Talking Points -- "strawman" Opening Statement.  
We propose that your opening comments be followed by Opening Statements from:
  - a. Conoco Phillips (made by Jim Bowles, President ConocoPhillips, AK);
  - b. Marathon Oil (made by Steve Hinchman, Sr. V-P Worldwide Production, out of Houston); &, tentatively,
  - c. Enstar, or Semco Energy/parent company of Enstar (made by Gene Dubay, Sr V-P of Operations, out of Michigan)
- 2) Settlement/Agreement Overview (a brief description of the agreement reached between the SOA, CP & MO); &
- 3) Questions & Answers document (addressing questions/issues that may arise during or after the press conference.)

As I've noted, these are draft documents that are still being worked on by the team, however, I thought you might like the opportunity to spend some time on them before the *press* of the week truly starts.

Please note that we are proposing that you and the principals from the two companies make Opening Statements. Then we are thinking that the negotiating team members respond to any questions. However, we are open to whatever structure you would like, so please advise what works for you. The Opening Statements from CP and MO are still being developed. Once I have them in hand I will forward them to you. I am told they intend for their comments to be briefer than yours.

One final note, the Settlement Agreement is to be signed by the Dept of Law, DNR and by the two companies. We intend to sign this agreement sometime before the press conference, perhaps on Wednesday morning.

Thanks again,  
Marty

8/31/2009

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